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80A 2601-CIPIN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICEHon. Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks
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Dear Sir:

This is a request for filing a

 X Continuation-In-Part Divisionalapplication under 35 USC 120, of pending prior application Serial No. 08/770,087, filed on 12/19/96
of KENICHI NAKAMURA for BIODEGRADABLE MOLDING MATERIAL 1. Enclosed is a copy of the prior application as originally filed with an affidavit or declaration verifying it as a true copy. 2. Prepare a copy of the prior application. X 3. The filing fee is calculated below:

For	Number Filed	Number Extra	Rate	Basic Fee \$770/\$385
Total Claims	<u> 2 </u> - 20	<u> 0 </u>	X \$ 22/\$ 11	\$ <u>-0-</u>
Independent Claims	<u> 1 </u> - 3	<u> 0 </u>	X \$ 80/\$ 40	\$ <u>-0-</u>
Multiple Dependent Claims			X \$260/\$130	\$ <u>-0-</u>
Total Filing Fee				\$ <u>385.00</u>

 X 4. Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any fee which may be required, or credit any overpayment to Account No. 11-1445. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed. X 5. A check in the amount of \$ 385.00 is enclosed. 6. Cancel Claims _____ X 7. The prior application is assigned to
INDUSTRIAL TECHNICAL R & D LABORATORY, INC. X 8. Amend the specification by inserting before the first line of the sentence:- This is a continuation-in-part of application Serial No. 08/770,087
filed December 19, 1996

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9. Amend the specification by inserting after "filed _____",
--now abandoned--.
10. Transfer the drawings from the prior application to this application and abandon said prior application as of the filing date accorded this application.
- X 11. The power of attorney in the prior application is to H. Henry Koda, Reg. No. 27,729; William L. Androlia, Reg. No. 27,177, et al.

- (a) The power appears in the original papers of the prior application.
- (b) Address all future communication to:

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- X 12. Declaration & Power of Attorney, Assignment and Small Entity forms will follow.
- X 13. CIP Application is enclosed (in Japanese).
14. The certified copy(s) upon which priority is claimed are contained in Serial No. _____, filed _____.
- X 15. Convention priority is claimed based upon Japanese Patent Applications No. 8-78400 of March 5, 1996 and No. 9-152828 of May 26, 1997.
16. Please enter the Rule 116 Amendment from the pending prior application.
- X 17. Verified Statement Claiming Small Entity Status is contained in Serial No. 08/770,087, filed December 19, 1996.
- X 18. A check in the amount of \$130.00 to cover the processing of an application filed with a specification in a non-English language is enclosed.

Respectfully submitted,


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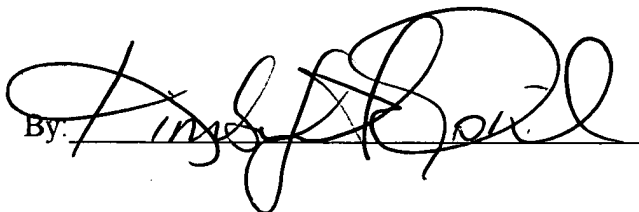
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